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Subject's name and aliases

*ASSAULT THREAT AGAINST
SENATOR LLOYD BENTSEN;
OO: EL PASO*

Character of case

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Complainant ☐ Protect Source

ANONYMOUS

Complaint received

☐ Personal ☒ Telephonic Date *12/17/91* Time *2:15 P*

Address of subject

Complainant's address and telephone number

Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build	Birth date and Birthplace
	<i>A</i>		Weight	Eyes	Complexion	Social Security Number
	Scars, marks or other data					

Facts of complaint

Complainant (C), who is

*advised that subject is involved in organized
crime, including*

C advised that he

*stated that he contributed to a Texas
Senator's campaign, and that the senator would
not help subject
Subject stated he would get him sooner or later.
C believed Senator Lloyd Bentsen was the target
of this threat.*

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Date

12/27/91

FM. FBI EL PASO (89A-EP-28829) (P)

TO DIRECTOR FBI/ROUTINE/

FBI, SAN ANTONIO/ROUTINE (g12)

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CITE: //3240//

PASS: CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION, VIOLENT CRIMES AND MAJOR OFFENSES

SECTION, VIOLENT CRIMES SECTION. (g12)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] LLOYD BENTSEN, UNITED STATES SENATOR -

VICTIM; DECEMBER 17, 1991; AFO; OO: EL PASO.

RE TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION TO EL PASO OFFICE ON DECEMBER 17, 1991.

17, 1991.

ON DECEMBER 17, 1991 THE EL PASO OFFICE RECEIVED A TELEPHONE
 CALL FROM AN ANONYMOUS CALLER STATING THAT HE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATED THAT HE HAD CONTRIBUTED

to SA [REDACTED]

1. EL PASO

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[REDACTED] DOLLARS TO A TEXAS SENATOR'S CAMPAIGN

AND THE SENATOR DID NOT HELP [REDACTED]

STATED THAT HE WOULD "GET HIM SOONER OR LATER". THE CALLER
BELIEVED SENATOR LLOYD BENTSEN WAS THE TARGET OF THIS THREAT.

EL PASO CHECKED INDICES/FOIMS ON [REDACTED] WITH NEGATIVE
RESULTS.

LEADS FOR SAN ANTONIO DIVISION AT AUSTIN, TEXAS:

CONTACT SENATOR BENTSEN'S OFFICE AND INFORM HIM OF THE PHONE
CALL. ATTEMPT TO ASCERTAIN IF [REDACTED] DONATED [REDACTED] TO BENTSEN'S
CAMPAIGN.

FOR EL PASO DIVISION AT EL PASO:

ATTEMPT TO ASCERTAIN THE IDENTITY OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INTERVIEW [REDACTED] ONCE THEY ARE LOCATED *g/y*

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12/30/91

FM FBI EL PASO (89A-EP-28829) (P)

TO DIRECTOR FBI /IMMEDIATE/

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FBI SAN ANTONIO (INFO) /ROUTINE/

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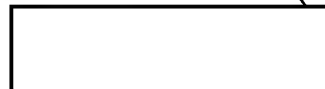
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 OFFENDERS SECTION, VIOLENT CRIMES UNIT.

"CHANGED" *g/r*
 SUBJECT: LLOYD BENTSEN, UNITED STATES SENATOR -
 VICTIM; DECEMBER 17, 1991; CCSCAKA (UNITED STATES SENATOR-
 THREAT);

OO: EL PASO.

REQUEST FOR THE BUREAU: CONTACT UNITED STATES SECRET

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SERVICE HEADQUARTERS FOR DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION.

TITLE MARKED CHANGED ^{TO}~~TO~~ TO REFLECT CHANGE IN CHARACTER TO ^{g17}
CCSCAKA (UNITED STATES SENATOR - THREAT). TITLE PREVIOUSLY
CARRIED AS [REDACTED] LLOYD BENTSEN, UNITED STATES SENATOR -
VICTIM; DECEMBER 17, 1991; AFO;

OO: EL PASO

^{EL PASO} RE^{g17}TELETYPE TO BUREAU OF DECEMBER 27, 1991.

^{FOR THE INFO OF WMFO, g17}

AN ANONYMOUS CALLER STATED THAT HE HAD [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] IN WHICH [REDACTED]

STATED THAT HE HAD CONTRIBUTED

[REDACTED] DOLLARS TO A TEXAS SENATOR'S CAMPAIGN AND THE

SENATOR DID NOT HELP [REDACTED]

STATED

THAT HE WOULD "GET HIM SOONER OR LATER". THE CALLER BELIEVED
SENATOR BENTSEN WAS THE TARGET OF THE THREAT.

EL PASO INADVERTENTLY NEGLECTED TO SEND A NOTIFICATION
TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN FIELD OFFICE SO THAT THEY MAY
CONTACT THE CAPITAL POLICE.

ON DECEMBER 30, 1991, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

[REDACTED] WAS CONTACTED WITH THE FACTS. THE AUSA STATED

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THAT THE CALL DID NOT AMOUNT ^{TO} A THREAT AGAINST A PROTECTED ^{NEW PARAGRAPH} INDIVIDUAL UNDER TITLE 18 U.S. CODE SECTION 351. ⁹¹ AT 9:30 AM ON DECEMBER 30, 1991, SECRET SERVICE SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] WAS CONTACTED BY SPECIAL AGENT [REDACTED] WHO DISSEMINATED ^{NEW PARAGRAPH} ALL OF THE INFORMATION TO [REDACTED] ⁹¹ ON DECEMBER 30, 1991 EL PASO WAS CONTACTED BY [REDACTED] OF THE OFFICES OF UNITED STATES SENATOR PHIL GRAMM WHO STATED THAT NO ONE NAMED [REDACTED] [REDACTED] HAD EVER DONATED ANY MONEY TO SENATOR GRAMM'S CAMPAIGN.

gn ^{LEADS:} ~~FOR~~ WMFO, AT WASHINGTON, D.C.: CONTACT UNITED STATES CAPITOL POLICE FOR DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION.

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b7DDate of transcription 1/15/92

[redacted] date of birth (DOB) [redacted]
[redacted] Social Security Account Number (SSAN) [redacted]
[redacted] El Paso, Texas, was interviewed at his residence.
After being advised of the official identity of the interviewing Agents and the nature of the interview, he provided the following information:

[redacted] admitted that he telephonically contacted the El Paso Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) on December 17, 1991. He further admitted that he had anonymously informed Special Agent (SA) [redacted] of [redacted] threats against United States Senator LLOYD BENTSEN.

[redacted] had [redacted]
[redacted] had stated repetitiously [redacted]
[redacted] and "I'll get him." [redacted]
[redacted] stated [redacted] had previously donated [redacted] dollars [redacted] to Senator BENTSEN's campaign and when [redacted] BENTSEN did not help him in anyway.

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INITIALSInvestigation on 1/10/92 at El Paso, TexasFile # 89A-EP-28829-8by SAs [redacted] and [redacted]
[redacted] KD/mgs

Date dictated [redacted]

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FBI CASE STATUS FORM

Date: 1/15/92To: AUSA [redacted] U.S. Courthouse, El Paso, Texas
(Name and Address of USA)From: SAC Richard D. Schwein, El Paso
(Name of Official in Charge and Field Division)

(Signature of Official in Charge)

RE: [redacted] [redacted] Male
(Name of Subject) Age SexYou are hereby advised of action authorized by AUSA [redacted]
(Name of USA or AUSA)on information submitted by Special Agent [redacted] on December 17, 1991
(Name) (Date)

(Check One)

- ☐ Request further investigation
- ☒ Immediate declination
- ☐ Filing of complaint
- ☐ Presentation to Federal Grand Jury
- ☐ Filing of information
- ☐ Other

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INITIALS

For violation of Title 18, USC, Section(s) 351

Synopsis of case: On December 17, 1991, an anonymous caller telephoned the El Paso Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). He stated that he had [redacted]

[redacted] had stated that he was "going to get" someone "sooner or later". [redacted]

[redacted] had donated [redacted] to a Texas Senator's campaign and he had not assisted [redacted]

It was later determined that the anonymous caller was [redacted] and he was sure that the Senator was Lloyd Bentsen.

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Date 1/22/92

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, EL PASO (89A-EP-28829) (C)

SUBJECT :

LLOYD BENTSEN, UNITED
 STATES SENATOR - VICTIM;
 DECEMBER 17, 1991;
 CCSCAKA (UNITED STATES
 SENATOR - THREAT);
 (OO: EP)

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INITIALS

Re teletype from El Paso to Director, FBI, dated
 12/30/91.

On 12/30/91, Assistant United States Attorney
 (AUSA) [redacted] Western District of Texas, advised
 [redacted] alleged statements amounted only to hearsay, not
 to threats and therefore, his office would decline
 prosecution. Due to this, the above captioned case will be
 closed in El Paso.

El Paso has identified the anonymous telephone
 caller as [redacted] stated he [redacted]
 [redacted] later told [redacted] had given Senator
 BENTSEN [redacted] and he did not help [redacted]
 [redacted] was going to get him "sooner or later".

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EL PASO

INDEXING REVIEW OF CASE # 089A/EP-0028829

NAME(S)

(SN) ~~SENISEN, LLOYD~~

(SN) [REDACTED]

(SN) [REDACTED]

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Date 8/31/92

1 TO : SAC, ALBUQUERQUE

2 FROM : SAC, DALLAS (145B-AQ-43740) (RUC) (RUC 6)

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4 ITOM;

5 OO: ALBUQUERQUE

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7 Re El Paso airtel to Albuquerque dated 5/11/92, and
8 Albuquerque airtel to Dallas dated 7/28/92.9 On 8/4/92, telephone directory information revealed
10 that a resides at

11 Texas driver's license information reflects that one
 12 a white male, date of birth (DOB)
 13 pounds, brown hair, blue eyes, has Texas driver's
 14 license number and resides at
 15 The record indicates he
 16 surrendered a driver's license on and that
 17 this license will expire on

18 An inquiry of NCIC revealed no outstanding warrants
 19 for

20 2 - Albuquerque
 21 ② - El Paso (Info)
 2 - Dallas
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